

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 MMCA GROUP, LTD.,

No. C-06-7067 MMC

12 Plaintiff,

**ORDER VACATING HEARING ON
DEFENDANT PINKERTON
CONSULTING & INVESTIGATIONS,
INC.'S MOTION TO DISMISS, OR, IN
THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO
SEVER**

13 v.

14 15 HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY, et al.,

16 Defendants

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18 Before the Court is the motion, filed April 11, 2008, by defendant Pinkerton
19 Consulting & Investigations, Inc., to dismiss pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) of the Federal Rules
20 of Civil Procedure, or, in the alternative, to sever pursuant to Rule 21. Plaintiff has filed
21 opposition, to which defendant has replied.

22 Having considered the papers filed in support of and in opposition to the motion, the
23 Court finds the matter appropriate for resolution without oral argument, see Civil L.R. 7-
24 1(b), and hereby VACATES the May 16, 2008 hearing.

25 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

26 Dated: May 14, 2008

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27 MAKINE M. CHESNEY
28 United States District Judge